THE EXCISE BOARD ON TRIAL. WITNESSES TO THE GOOD CHARACTER OF EDWARD P. BYRNE AND HIS GROU-SHOP-THE WINDSOR

PALACE. The examination of the charge preferred by the Society for the Prevention of Crime against Messrs. Morrison and Merkle, members of the Board of Excise, ontinued yesterday before Justice Kilbreth, at the Tombs Police Court. John Carey, inspector to the board, as called for the defence, and testified that he had risited the saloon of Byrne & White previous to the granting of the license, and that the necessary qualifica-tions of an inn, tavern or notel existed. On cross-exammation he admitted that he had made no particular in-pury about them, relying on his own judgment. Pullip Merkle testified that he was an Excise Commis-

leged to have been served against giving a increase by Byrne & Woite.

Edward F. B. rne testified in relation to his arrest by Captain McDonnell in September last, and the charges be had preferred against the Captain. He admitted that he had been arrested once before that time, and three or four times since. Otto Dresher, of No. 22 West Houston-st., James Connolly, of No. 171 Mercer st., James Deignan, formerly a clerk at the Fire Donartment Headquarters, and others, testified to Mr. Byrne's good character, and the orderly condition of his motel." The proceedings were adjourned to Saturday next at 9 a. m.

John Flyne, the bolder of the heense for No. 103
Bowery, which is kept by William McGlory, and the
keeper of an unlicensed liquor saloon at Sixty-sixth-st.
and Third-ave., was represented by Counsellor Mott
before the Board of Exche vestenday afternoon- to show
why the heense should not be revoked. The charges
sagainst the place were sustained by the testimeny of
several patrolmen of the Tenta Precinct, who testified
that the place was the resort of thevers and women of
had character. The defence will be heard on Friday at
\$1,000.

THE KILLONA PLANTATION SUIT. TESTIMONY IN REGARD TO MARK HOYT'S OWNER-SHIP OF THE PLACE.

examination of Mark Hoyt was not sone uded yesterday in the suit against General Sherinan. The decision of Judge Wallace on Monday had made it necessary that the defence should establish the litie of Mark Hoyt to the possession of the Killona Piantation, and his testimony was directed to this point. Plantation, and his testimony was directed to this point-Hoyt testified in regard to the way the origi-ual lease was made. A bill of sale of the pri-sonal property by Morgan Morgans and Whai-len to Hoyt was put in evidence. Whalen had confessed judgment to him for \$30,000, and this amount was to be satisfied out of the personal property. When the order from General Sheridan was received, Mr. Hoyt said, he went to the plantation with the sheriff, a clerk of the District Court, Morgan Morgans, 2., and Thomas R. Johnson. They met Mr. Slater and riff, a cierk of the District Court, alorgan stockers, and Thomas R. Johnson. They met Mr. Slater and r. Coudon, and told them of the order from General eridan, and it was read to them. Messrs. Deacon and sudon packed their trunks and carried them to the rec. Stater turned the mules over to the Sheriff. After appeared to be in control of the plantation, halen was not to be seen, and had not been on the autation from January 21, 1867, until March, 1867, as or as the witness knew.

WILLIAM PORTER ON TRIAL.

The trial of William Porter, indicted as Villiam Morris, one of the Patchen-avenue gang of burgars, attracted many spectators to the Kings County ourt of Sessions yesterday. The testimony for the prosecution was closed after the examination of a numof police officers, who had some share in making the arrest, and one or two other witnesses. H. G. Tayor, a clerk in the District Attorney's office, testified that the entire amount of money found in the possession of the burglars, as received by him from the Police Prop-irty Clerk, was \$550 69.

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General Tracy, for the defence, claimed that the prosecution had dwindled greatly under cross-examina-tion, and that many things asserted by the District-At-larney had not been proved. The Iberts lost \$605, and it was the theory of the prosecution that all the money had gone to the Pratchen-ave, honce, and that the thieves were arrested before they had disposed of it. All the money offered in evidence, however, amounted to a little over \$500, and in this were include: some unus that were obviously not a part of the proceeds of the burglary. General Tracy claimed that he would show that the case rested on Sergeaut Murphy's identif-vation of the prisoner carly on the morning of August 11, when the prisoner, it was claimed, came out on the

CHARGED WITH PANDERING TO VICE.

A proceeding was began some time ago bee Judge Davis in Supreme Court, Chambers, by the Society for the Reformation of Juvenile Delinquents, to exact from one Hirsch a license fee or enjoin him from further theatrical exhibitions. He employed in his dece Robert Strahan. Mr. Strahan says that he advised Hirsch to see the counsel for the society. Hirsch re-ported that he was told that he had better pay costs and \$25 a month. He, Stranan, recommended him to go agaib, and his client reported that the demand agaib, and his client reported that the demand was reduced to \$15 a month and costs. Strahan recommended that the facts he reduced to an affidavit, and when the case came up submitted it to Judge Davis, who has not yet decided the case, but who intimated that such a proceeding was strangely irregular.

Mr. Birahan, in conversation, and yesterday that year in the Legislature he had pressed strongly this license aw of theatrical entertainments on, the idea—not that it was to supply money to the lockety, however important its work might be, but as a

took this case he had heard that the society's agents al-lowed some of the lowest resorts to continue their vile business on payment of sums far less than those named for reputable theatres.

MARTIN ZBOROWSKI'S WILL.

The will of the late Martin Zborowski, of Bergen, N. J., was filed in the Surrogate's Office yesterlay. The decedent directs his body to be buried at Parames, and his funeral to be conducted without even the intervention of an undertaker. Charles F. Hunter is appointed guardian of the testator's son. After minor bequests, he gives to his step-daughter, Marie Hewitt, wife of Charles Wilkinson, of Paris, eighty bonds of \$1,000 each, of the Caire and Fulton Railroad Company, and his interest in the mines at Fours de Chaux, France. To his daughter Anna he gives \$100,000, and the marble bust of her mother, by Rogers; to his only son, William E. Morris, the decedent's picture by Kaskinski, and all the personal property in his house at Morrisania, and all his personal property in his house at Paris the testator gives to his daughter, together with the pieces of real-property owned by him at Broadway and Forteth-st; the lots at Eighty-seventh-st, and Teuth-ave, and the lots bounded by Eighty-fith-st, Eghty-seventh-st., 9th and 10th-aves. All the rest of the estate is given to the testator's son. Charles F. Hunter, David B. Odgen and the lestator's son are made executors. The will is dated May 13, 1876. wife of Charles Wilkinson, of Paris, eighty bonds of

ARRESTED FOR STEALING A TIDY.

An elegantly-dressed woman, of medium height, and about forty years of age, wearing a black mik dress and a sealskin sack, was brought before Justice Otterbourg yesterday afternoon, on a charge of stealing a lace tidy, worth 50 cents, from the store of Le Boutillier Brothers, at No. 48 East Fourteenth-st. She said her name was Jane Cohen, and that she lived She said her name was Jane Cohen, and that she lived in New Jersey. She thought the tidy must have stuck to her dress. The Judge held her for trial in \$300 hail. Shortly afterward her dauguter, also a finely dressed woman, accompanied by counsel, burried to the prison. A private consultation was had with the Judge, and it was learned that the accused person is of good family, and that her real name is not Cohen. The daughter and lawyer offered a check for the ball, but it could not be taken, and they hurried away in search of a bondsman. The Judge promised to take ball at his house during the night.

PERSONAL LIABILITY OF BANK OFFICERS.

A suit which has been for some days on trial before Judge Donohue, entitled Henry F. Bissell against Dorr Russell, ended yesterday in a verdict for the plaintiff for \$6,108. The plaintiff's story, which has been given before, is, in brief, that being a farmer in has been given before, is, in brief, that being a farmer in Chenango County and doing a little speculative business in this city, he had a small deposit in the Loaners' Bank, of which Russell was president. Russell, in 1873, advised him to buy atock in the bank, representing that it had a surplus of \$60,000. He took flity shares, and two months later, when the bank failed, he was cut the surplus of \$60,000. He the horse the misrepresentations of Mr. Russell. The defence was a denial of the statements. The jury found for the plantiff, General H. E. Tremsine and R. A. Stanton appeared for plaintiff; Robert Sewell for defendant.

CONVICTED OF COUNTERFEITING.

Michael Connor, who has been on trial several days before Judge Benedict, in the United States Circuit Court for counterfeiting, was convicted yesterday. The prisoner has had many friends who have re-mained by him during the trial and have assisted him in mained by him during the trial and have assisted him in getting evidence. Several years ago he was on the police force in this city, and his good character was teatified to by several officers. Lewis Post, his counsel, admitted that Connor had sold the spurious money to the Civil Service officers, but claimed that it was done to detect the real counterfeiters. Assistant District-Attorney Ficro answered this by pointing to the letters which Connor addressed to Haif offering the counterfeit money for sais to be "shoved" by Hall. The jury was out only ten minutes, returning with a verdict of guilty. Connor was remanded for sentence.

CIVIL NOTES.

The case of Charles W. Pontez coming up again yesterday before Judge Daniels, his counsel presented certificates of physicians that he was too sick to endure a trial. District-Attorney Phelps asked leave to send two disinterested physicians to test the truth of the certificates, and Judge Daniels adjourned the case undi to-day to hear their report.

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Edward G. Tinker, Captain of the Port, has sued John Stillwagen, pilot of the steamboat J. B. Schuy-ler. In the Marine Court, for \$50 penalty. He says that

n defiance of his orders to make the landing of the boat iat Pier No. 57, East River, Stillwagen persisted in making a landing at Pier No. 55. The defendant questions the jurisdiction of the Marine Court, denies Captain Tinker's allegations, and claims that he had a right to go to Pier No. 55 when it was not occupied. Judge Mc Adam reserved his decision.

In the Surrogate's Court a notice of objection was given yesterday by Elliott F. Shepard as Proctor for William Furniss, to the probate of the will of the latter's brother, Hartman K. Furniss, by which his whole estate of \$250,000 is left to a maiden sister of the tes tator to the exclusion of his two other sisters and his tator to the exclusion of his two other spacers and more brother. One week was given for filing the objections. It is understood that it will be alleged that undue influence was used over the testator, who is said to have been of intemperate habits, and otherwise incompetent to make a will.

William Beiden and others in two suits, one for \$80,000 and the other for \$40,000, in both of which lie was arrested, obtained yesterday from Judge Davis a writ of habeas corpus. He says that after he and his partner were arrested, it was agreed that if they would give ball in \$50,000 in the larger case, the plaintiffs would themselves find ball in the smaller one. The agreement was carried out, but the sureties turnished by the plaintiffs have surrendered him. The suit is returnable to-mor-

DECISIONS-DEC. 17.

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Supreme Court—Chambers—By Judge Brady.—
Hersch agt, Friedburg.—Motion denied. Rose agt. Rose.—
Motion denied Livingsion agt Catter.—Inquest opened so as
to allow a defence: see memorandum. McIntosh agt. Maires;
Sheridan agt. Genet.—Orders settleo. Funple agt. Dhietburg:
In the matter of Nolan; Karner agt. Myllus.—Orders granted.
Emigran: Industrial Savings Bank agt. McGovern; In the
matter of Wilson.—Granted.

By Presiding Judge Davis.—McKay agt. Jarvis.—Reference ordere to John D. Townsend. Steamestz agt. Speir.—
Application granted. Mechanics and Traders' Fire Insurance Company agt. Oswald; Woodcock agt. Ganier; Soane
agt. Shattack; Greenwich Savings Bank agt. Mchrbach;
In the matter of Bradley; Jones agt. Rosney; Van Dolsen
agt. Van Dolsen.—Granted. Akams agt. Lawton; Burions
agt. Schipper and others.—Orders granted. Irwin agt. Tooker,
Folger agt. Law.—Motions denies without coals. Carleton
agt. Hall.—injunction continued. Rosen agt. Dieol.—Injunction discoved.

By Judge Damels.—Milbank agt. Thompson.—Opinion.
By Judge Lawrence.—In the matter of Peck.—See memorandum.

Circuit—Part II—By Judge Lawrence.—Brundage agt. Bal-

By Judge Markenes—I also knowness—Brundage agt. Ballard.—Plaintiff is entitled to judgment for full amount.

Special Term—By Judge Van Brunt.—Kerr et al. agt.

Dougnerty et al.—Case settled.

By Judge Barrett.—The corted States Trust Company agt.

Marsh and others.—See memorabdum.

By Judge Van Vorst.—Coleman agt. Phelps and others.—

Judgment for the plaintiff; see opinion.

Niveries Court.—Receint Term.—By Judge Freedman.

Marsh and others.—See memoratouro.

By Judge Van Vorst.—Colemas agt. Phelps and others.—
Judgment for the plaintiff; see opinion.

Superfor Courl—Special Term—By Judge Freedman.
—Aaron et al. agt. Corn.—Motion granted by defami. Tucker
Santord.—Unier appointing George F. Langbein, esq. referee.
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agt. Noyes.—Order for commission. Clark agt. Abendroth.—
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Order of discontinuance. Jones agt. Kent.—Order of absorbinuance.
Baucock agt. Bennet, jr.—Order granted. Vittue agt. Walker.—Order of discontinuance. Jones agt. Kent.—Order of
substitution. Townshend agt. Howorth: Same agt. Kent.—Order of
substitution. Townshend agt. Howorth: Same agt. Ricker;
Same agt. same: Kolling agt. Patterson; Same agt. sat.
ker.—Order of discontinuance.

Langberg agt. Foile. (Stephens agt. Gardiner.—Order of
substitution. Townshend agt. Hatterson; McKennie agt. San.
kin; Ebling agt. Foile. (Stephens agt. Gardiner.—Orders
granted.

Common Pleas—Special Term.—By Judge Van Hoeson.—Israel agt. Stelin.—Assignee's Joni approved and filed.
The Equitable Life Assurance Society of Lee United States
agt. segee, etc.; Shopero agt. Schuitzer, etc.—Application
granted. Erans and nother agt. Israes.—Hon: it assignee
approved and aled with clerk. In the mait r of Koca et al.—
Application granted. In the maiter of Lewis: Same agt.
Same: In the matter of Kaufman; Caaadler agt. Suiton;
Slater agt, Martin.—Applications granted.

By Judge Larremore. In the maiter of the application of
Cos-pertinwal, etc.—Assignee discharged and suretice released from bond, etc. In t.e matter of the application of
dag.—The report of the referre is too general; See memorandum.

Marine Court—Chambers—By Judge Shea.—

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Marine Court—Chambers—By Judge Shea,—Hollister agt, Doying; Smith agt, Dittenhoeder; Bragg agt, Weeks; Lattle agt, Mulholland,—Motions granted, Reintzman; Pomecoy agt, Israel; Loon agt, Peck, and another; Eurehard agt, Bunley; Gallo agt, Orlando; Kalz agt, Goestrop; Deutscule agt, Zulaur; Shebie agt, Murpay; Doige agt, Lansing; Hazord agt, Walter, Jr.; Royt agt, Hostwick; Selson agt, Scike; Cowdercy agt, Toblas; Christing agt, Heinerson.—Orders ensered and filed

By Judge Shimolt.—Tromwell agt, Burg.—Motion demed; see decision filed. Marsino agt, Cardaol.—Case setted and filed. Vanderboxcot agt, Guttenberg.—Opinion denying motion for new trial.

SUTREME COURT—CHAMBERS—Davis, P. J.—Nos. 7, 13, 15, 44, 48, 50, 56, 58, 61, 70, 75, 78, 79, 93, 98, 101, 103, 110, 135, Call begins at No. 140, SPECIAL TERM—Barrett, J.—Demnirer.—No. 15, Law and Fact.—Nos. 580, 707, 752, 706, 821, 822, 737, 621, 723, 706, 755, 563, 504, 792, 798, 779, 805, 429, 617, 618, 696, 593, 790, 681, 793, 707, 799, Cincurt.—Pakr I.—Van Brunt, J.—Nos. 1715 %, 2724, 2846, 2787, 1755, 1778, 1779, 2873, 2874, 2891, 2892, 4215, 2000, 2024, 2919, 2939, 2685, 2876, 2824, 1529, 1890, Pakr II.—Lawrence, J.—Nos. 2249, 1672, 1706, 1025, 8797, 3359, 2112, 5820, 2401, 2079, 3052, 243, 51421, 8820. CUIT—PART I—Van Brunt, J—Nos. 1715 b, 2724, 2787, 1755, 1778, 1779, 2873, 2874, 2891, 2892, 4215, 2724, 2819, 2809, 2885, 2876, 2524, 1829, 1830, 2714, 2892, 2112, 2829, 2401, 2579, 3559, 2112, 2829, 2401, 2579, 3552, 2452, 1421, 2820, 11 III—Donohue, J.—Nos. 4290, 2602, 2452, 1421, 2820, 11 III—Donohue, J.—Nos. 4290 -Donohue. J.- Non. 4220, 3243, 4338, COURT-SPECIAL TERM-Speir, J.-No

engar.
TRIAL TERM—PART I—Sedgwick, J. Nos. 384, 385, 386, 387, 116, 549, 391, 103, 329, 949, 884, 290, 627, 488.
PART II—Adjourned for the term.
COMMON "LEAS—SPECIAL TERM—Van Hoesen, J.—Nos. 8, 15.

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PART III-Goepp, J.—Nos. 5045 5076, 1904, 5081, 4461, 5182, 5185, 5187, 5188, 5189, 5191, 5194, 5195, 5196, 5198, 5191.

GENERAL SESSIONS—PART I—Glidersteeve, J.—Christopher Brown, Andrew Boyle, James N. Walters, John Sulli-GEREIAL BERSIONS - PART I - Olidersieeve, J. - Christopher Brown. Antirew Boyle, James N. Walters, John Sullivan, Elizabeth Mosre, Michael Phillipi, folonious assault and battery; John Qumar, Frederick Hoffp, Eschlei samulers, John Hicks, burgiasy; Serah Briggs, forgery; Edwards, Fuller, James Farrian, Barnes Farrian, Coster Durreits, Coster Du

OYER AND TERMINER-Davis, P. J.-Charles W. Pontez. forgery; Henry Baer, William Carrere, George H. Fitzwilson, James M. Smith, false pretences; James McManus, grand larceny; Patrick Collins, Condio Balmor, felonious assault and battery.

THE WESTCHESTER ALMSHOUSE.

INVESTIGATING ALLEGED DISCREPANCIES IN THE ACCOUNTS OF THAT INSTITUTION.

Mrs. Lowell, a member of the State Board of Charities, having in her report to that board set forth alleged discrepancies in the accounts kept at the Westchester County Almshouse and the number of inmates found in that institution, the officers of the State Board sent a communication to the Supervisors, who appointed a committee consisting of Supervisors Travis, of Cortlandt; Hoag, of Ossining, and Watson, of Westchester, to make an investigation. Superintendents Cooper, Palm and Ackerly, and also ex-Superintendent

Cooper, Palm and Ackerly, and also ex-Superintendent Mable were present, with William Romer as their counsel, Mrs. Lowell and James O. Panning, the assistant secretary of the State Board of Charities, were also present. The meeting was held on Monday.

Supe visor Travis, the chairman, asked Mrs. Lowell to prove the alleged discrepancies. She replied that she was not present as an accuser, but merely to aid the committee in their investigation, and suggested that the county supermicendents be examined; but the committee thought such a course irregular, and again asked Mrs. Lowell for proof. Finally, the committee concluded to examine Mr. Hammond, the keeper. He testified to the accuracy of his books, and on cross-examination stated that his books were written up daily, but that the flight or discharge of an immate might not be entered for a day or two alterward.

ATTEMPT TO RESCUE A BURGLAR.

"Red" Leary and "Butch" McCarthy, reputed bank robbers, the former of whom was arrested charged with being supplicated in the Northampton Bank (Massachusetts) robbery, and the latter on suspicion of complicity in the Manhattan Savings Back burglary, were arraigned before Justice Morgan Monday ofternoon, at the Jefferson Police Court, Captain Byrnes said the janitor of the bank and his wife had failed to identify the prisoners. Justice Morgan then discharged the men. Deputy Sheriff Hasson and Higgins at once arrested Leary

Justice Morgan then discharged the men. Deputy Sheriff Hasson and Higgins at once arrested Leary on a requisition from Massachusetts charging him with complicity in the robbery of the Northampton Bank. Peter Mitchell, his connect, served a writ of indicase corpus on the sheriff, issued by Jadge Daniels, and returnable on Wednesday.

So many of the prisoner's triends were present that it became a question how to get Leary to Ludiow Street Jall, where he was to se incarcerated until Wednesday. A carriage was procured and it drew up at the Tenth-st. entrance. The Deputy-Sheriffs Hansen and Higgins accompanied by Sergeant Satton and two others, issued from the prison door, surrounding the prisoner on all sides. Just as he de-cended the prison steps, and as the carriage door was being opened to receive him, a crowd of his friends, who had been present all day, closed on the officers and the prisonent-Leary thrown back by two officers within the prison entrance, which was at once closed. He was then heavily manacled and placed in a cell. A man named Burns was arrested for attempting the resoue, and committed in \$1,000 bail for trial. He appeared to be haif intoxicated. At 5 o'clock a coach was driven within the prison paid, and three others remained outside. There were four detectives heavily armed in each, and in the coach within the yard were placed Sergeants Button and Grant and Deputy Sheriff Hassan, and with them "Red" Leary heavily manacled. At a signal the door of the prison yard shid back and the carriage filled with the detectives. Leary was soon in Ludiow Street Jail.

HATHAWAY WRITES A LETTER.

Boston, Dec. 16 .- George T. Hathaway, formerly treasurer of the Berder City and the Saga more Mills at Fall River, and who is now serving out a sentence in the State Prison, has written a letter in which he places the whole blame for burning the flour-mill books on Holder B. Durice.

"I wonder, uncle," said a little girl, "if men will ever yet live to be five hundred or a thousand years old?" "No. ny child," responded the old man; "that was tried once, and the race grew so bad that the world had to be drowned."

THE MONEY MARKET.

OFFICIAL REPORT N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE SALES, As reported by the Gold and Stock Telegraph Co. TURSDAY, DEC. 17, 1878. GOVERNMENT STOCK DEPARTMENT. TIRST CALL,—1014 O'CLOCK A. M. U. S. 5s 1881 Registered, 10,000.....

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SALES FROM 212 O'CLOCK TO CLOSS OF BUSINESS, 3 O'CLOCK P. M.

OFFICIAL REPORT N. I. MINING STOCK EX-CHANGE SALES, DEC. 17, 1878. FIRST CALL-11 O'CLOCK A. M. SECOND CALL-1 O'CLOCK P. M.

| Buckeye | 400... b3..45 | California | 100... s3..15 | 100... s1..15 | 100.. THIRD CALL-2:30 P. M. Navajo 100..... 55 Independence 200...bid... 1.50 400....b20... 1.55

The weekly summary of the movements of grain

for the week ended yesterday closes the receipts by canal here for this season. The receipts by railroad do not increase with the closing of the canal, having been 1,167,675 bushels, against 1,158,925 bushels and 1,265,500 bushels for the two preceding weeks. The total quantity received at New-york last week was 1,256,972 bushels, against 1,444,267 and 3,272,210 bushels for the preceding weeks The decline last week in the receipts at the three other ports, Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore, from the receipts of the week before, was even more marked than at New-York; the receipts at all three ports having been 1,191,590 bushels, against 1,734,764 bushels. At Buffalo the receipts by lake have nearly ceased, and those by railroad show a regular decline instead of an increase for the last two weeks. Chicago and Milwaukee each reports smaller receipts, while the shipments from both last week amounted to only 1,043,564 bushels, which is in marked contrast with the weekly shipment of over 3,000,000

bushels during the season of lake navigation. The stock market to-day opened strong, and prices generally made a further fractional advance. Later a selling movement set in, which, although accomplishing little in the way of a large amount of sales, made rapid havoc with figures, so that the last prices in general were considerably below those of the opening.

All the active stocks to-day moved to a greater or less degree in unison, hence it is unnecessary to mention them in detail. Of the trunk line shares, Central and Hudson, with a sale of 100 shares at 111, and Erie, with more than usual business and a rise of 5s per cent and a later reaction of 14 per cent, were exceptions to the general rule. The coal stocks, however, were not exceptions, and Delaware, Lackawanna and Western was particularly heavy, declining to 41% after having sold at 43% 4314. Western Union first rose to 9514, but later sold at 9438, against 9478, its first price, and Pacific Mail sold at 15@1519@1412.

The market-closed weak. RANGE OF THE STOCK MARKET.

As reported by the Gold and Stock Telegraph Company 6.350 100 21,010 2,100 8,100 8,890 2,100 3,000 3,450 Renn. & dara-6% 6% 6% 6% 6% 6% S. C. &

Quickshver pr. 33% 33% 33% 33% 33% 32% CLOSING PRICES OF PHILADELPHIA STOCKS.

City 6s new 110 % 115 % Schuvikili Nav.pf. U. R. 8d N. J. 131 % 132 % Northern Cen. R. 92 % 32 % Lehigh Nav. 12 % 12 % 12 % Lehigh Valley 34 % 34 % Lehigh Valley 34 % 34 % Lehigh Tank. BAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICES OF MINING STOCKS. Yesterday. To-day 8 to 724 ross, 11 to 11 to sted. 3 to 3 4 to 4 to 28 to 29 24 10

The Eureka Consolidated has declared a dividend of \$3.

Government bonds were dull to-day, the recorded sales at the two early boards amounting to only \$11,000. Prices of all the issues except the 5-20s were strong. We annex current quotations:

There was a heavy trading in Louisiana consols

to-day from 72 down to 69@693g on the possibilities that the January interest would be defaulted, and North Carolina new 6s sold at 1118. Otherwise State bonds were neglected.
In city bank stocks, Importers' and Traders' (15)

sold at 207, and Chase National (10) at 110. Ratiroad bonds were active. Denver and Ric Grande firsts were up to 931s, and the first mortgages of the Elevated Railroad to 10012. Burlington and Quincy consolidated 7s were up to 116, Burlington and Cedar Rapids firsts to 69, and St. Paul sinking funds to 101. Firsts of C., C. and I. C. were stendy at 60, and seconds firm at 1934. Canada Southern guaranteed firsts stood strong at 7514. South Pacific firsts at 90, New-York Central firsts at 121, and Michigan Central 7s at 11112. Toledo and Wabash seconds were active at 9814@99, and ex coupon at 7914@7958. Ohio and Mississippi consols sold at 1024, Albany and Susquehanna seconds at par, and Eric firsts at 11514.

To-day gold sold at the lowest premium it has

reached since January, 1862, the range of sales baying been at 10018@100116, and closing 100132 bid and 1001 asked. On gold loans the lending rates were 2@1 per cent carrying and flat. The day's business of the gold-clearing department of the Bank of the State of New-York covered: Gold cleared, \$10,650,000; gold balances, \$1,221,000; currency balances, \$1,223,145.

Foreign exchange was strong, because of the searcity of commercial bills. Sixty-days bills are in advance of yesterday, the demand being increased to \$4 8812. Selling rates were on the basis of \$4 8219@\$4 83 for sixty-days bills and \$4 8734 @\$4 88 for three days to the £. We annex closing quotations:

Money on call was generally 5 per cent on miscellaneous collateral with 4@7 as the range, the rule on Governments being 3. There is no change in commercial paper or in rates of domestic exchange. The United States Treasurer at Washington today received \$370,000 National bank notes for redemption. The sustom receipts were \$330,000, and the internal revenue receipts \$200,000. The following is the Clearing-House statement to-day: Currency exchanges, \$75,684,781; currency balances, \$3,504,380; gold exchanges, \$6,371,065; gold balances, \$4314,260.

The sum of £155,000 bullion to-day went into the Bank of England "on balance," making a total in that way of £626,000 in five days. On the London Stock Exchange, consols for money remained strong at \$4716, and easier for account at \$4816. In United States bonds, a strong tone prevailed, 1867s being rule on Governments being 3. There is no change

quoted at 106½, new 5s at 108¾, new 4½s at 1065s, and 10-40s at 110½. In American railway securities, Erie common was steady at 18½, and preferred stiffer at 31½. Illinois Central advanced to 79¼, Jersey Central to 31½, and Pennsylvania to 33. The Imperial Bank of Germany during the week reported a gain of 9.300,000 marks. No Paris advices are yet at hand,

The receipts of flour and grain at the principal Atlantic ports this 17th day of December were:

New York. Balt. 49.900 40.500 13,300 51.030 45.300 16.200 188,061 24,716 7,384 993 14,023 62,741 104,200 117.010 Total bush 235,176 111,311 The following were the receipts and shi and from Chicago and Milwaukee to-d ported by telegraph:

Chicago, Milwaukee. 12.889 11,600 Chicago 15,664 Mil wauke 21,700 131,500 2,700 5,500 1,500 8,300 105.274 414.471 19,296 39,600 700 1,600 7,100 49.000 153,079 Total bush.... 286,188 149,500 The following were the total movements week ended December 16: RECEIPTS AT NEW-YORK By Canal. 123,805

Total bush. 80,823
Total bush. for pre. vlous week. 295,343
Total bush. since
Jan 1 1.167.675 8.474 1,444,267 1.158,925 Receipts at.... Oorn, bush Dats, bush Lye, bush Barley, bush 297,075 1,191,590 Total bush. 443,615 450,800 297,075 1,191,500
Total bush. for
preced'g week. 812,104 531.100 391,560 1,734,764
Tot-1 bush.since

AT BUFFALO. By Lake. Flour, bbls .. 122,500 162,600 85,600 13,600 17,600 212,120 Wheat, bush. 6,300 Barley, bush 400.700 Total bush. for preceding 218,420 Total bush, for week ended 1,028,500 896,100 1.914.800 Total bush, for week ended 1,762,237 490,300 1,552,537 AT CHICAGO AND MILWAUKEE.

....37,556,970 35,243,880 17,905,674 91,704,324

Shipments. Receipts. Chicago, Milwaukee, Chicago, Milwaukee, 78,059 59,706 72,149 73,000 Flour, bbis ... 469.077 56.319 110.127 6,777 114.164 Total bush ... 1,819,747 745,900 765,464 278,100 Total bush for prec. week. 1,949,164 877,300 663,085 453,100 Total bush since Jan 1, 118,140,880 26,949,344 108,275,715 20,932,402

The following shows the exports (exclusive of specie) from the port of New-York to foreign ports for the week ending December 17, and since the beginning of the year: 1876. 1877. 1878. 1877. 1878. For the week \$5,724,257 \$6,319,059 \$6,331,833 Previously reported. 257,188,656 277,178,944 327,526,596

EUROPEAN FINANCIAL MARKETS.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The uneasiness regarding financial affairs and the general clearing out and preparation for the annual inspection of accounts are causing depression in all speculative home securities, railways, telegraphs, etc. Foreign securities are apported by the Continental Donares.

LONDON, Dec. 17—12:50 p.m.—Consuls 9474 for money, 94114 for the account. U.S. bonds, four and a bait per cents, 10874; New Jersey Central, 324; Fennsylvania Central, 324; New Jersey Central, 326. The amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on bullance to-day is £155,000, Consols, 5474 for money, 942 for the account. Eric Railway shares, 1474; to, preferred, 315, Ilhous Central, 37; New Jersey Central, 324; New Jersey Central, 325, New Jersey Central, 325, New Jersey Central, 325, New Jersey Central, 326, Pennsylvania Central, 325, New Jersey, 10874; Ilhipois Central, 726, Pennsylvania Central, 325, New Jersey, 10874; Illinois Central, 726, Pennsylvania Central, 325, New Jersey, 10874; Illinois Central, 726, Pennsylvania Central, 325, New Jersey, 10874; Illinois Central, 726, Pennsylvania Central, 326, New Jersey, 10874; Illinois Central, 726, Pennsylvania Central, 325, New Jersey, 10874; Illinois Central, 726, Pennsylvania Central, 325, New Jersey, 10874; Illinois Central, 726, Pennsylvania Central, 325, New Jersey, 10874; Illinois Central, 726, Pennsylvania Central, 326, New Jersey, 10874; Illinois Central, 726, Pennsylvania Central, 325, New Jersey, 10874; Illinois Central, 726, Pennsylvania Central, 325, New Jersey, 10874; Illinois Central, 726, Pennsylvania Central, 7275, Pennsylvania Central, 7275, Pennsylvania Central, 7275, Pennsylvania Central, 7275, Pennsylvania EUROPEAN FINANCIAL MARKETS.

THE COTTON TRADE. LONDON, Dec. 17...—The Guardian's commercial article says; "The large sales of Cotton at Liverpool are stated to be due to extensive operations for Russia, made with a view to forestaining the new importently, and to the rise reported in New York. The latter is attrouted partly to the report sent from this side that the Oldham strike is enticd." If such a report has been sent it is faise. The card-room bands of one mill resumed at a 5 per cent reduction on Saturday, but in the spinning department hands could not be found. On Monday five more limited company mills resumed work on compromise

THE MARKETS.

TOTAL RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE. TURSDAY, Dec. 17, 1878.

Ashes, pkgs. 39 | Rye, bush. 129.4 | Oct. moats. pkgs. ... 50 | Mait, bush. 129.4 | District need oil, bbis. ... 1003 | District need oil, bbis. ... 1004 | District need oil, bbis. ... 1004 | District need oil, bbis. ... 1004 | Corper, bbis. ... 1004 | Corper, bbis. ... 1005 | Cort. meat. bags. ... 148.2 | Lard, less. ... 1006 | Core. meat. bags. ... 148.2 | Rice, tess. ... 148.2 | Rice, tess. ... 148.2 | Rice, tess. ... 148.3 | Rice, 1,132 150

GENERAL MARKET REPORT. TURSDAY, Dec, 17, 1878.
ASHES-Steady, quiet; Pots, 5c.; Pearis, 5%c.
BEESWAX-Iu small sale at 16 27c. for Western and

Southern.
BROOM CORN-Fine stock in fair call, steady; others neglected. We quote Choice Green Hurl, 628-4c.; Medium
Harl, 525-4c.; Medium Green, 526-4c.; and Red, Stubby and
Crooked, 4c.
BUILDING MATERIALS—Bricks have only a small sale.
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STAINED.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.—Fair t some variation in prices as not have, 23 75; Quinne, 24 660-25 4645c.; Ipecac. \$1 05281 20; 4.480

Allen | Docenic | 10 | Doc | Camphing | 272 |
2802 | Arsine | Privaters | 12 | Private | 272 |
2803 | Arsine | Privaters | 12 | Private | 272 |
2804 | Arsine | Privaters | Private | Private

Texas, 13410 %; City Sangace currency.

HOPS—Low and Medium grades remain neglected, weak; others fairly active, both for export and consumption, at full figures. New York New Crop. Choice to Pancy, 12:2516. Good to Prince, 82:10c.; Low to Fair, 527:5c. Eastern, 82:12c.; Western, 82:12c.; Venring's growth, 42:6c.; Old, all growths, 23:8c.; Pacific Coast, 12:25:5c.

LEATHER—Quiet for consumption, but fairly active for export-prices steady.

| Slaughter | 28 #29 | Miodle backs | 28 #30 | Light crop | 25 #26 | Middle crop | 26 #27 | Heavy crop | 26 #27 | Bedies | 15 #16 |

Coke Tin, \$56755 50; 40. Terne, \$475, gold; No. 1 American rig Iron, \$16281 150; No. 2, \$157516; No. 10, \$16281 150; No. 2, \$157516; Forge, \$14 502 \$15 50; Eginton (Scotch), \$21; Coltress, \$2750. Rails—Stee), here, \$12. Old Iron, \$18503819; Scrap, \$20. MOLASSES—Foreign very disi, and for the most part nominal; rotto itto, 25740c.; Barbadoes, 30234c; Demorara, 25230c.; Trimdad, 30233c.; New Orleans duli at 252 \$36.

Steel, here, \$42. Old Iron, \$18 50 \$19; Scrap, \$20.

MOLASSICS—Foreirn very dind, and for the most part nominal; Forto Sico, 20 \$40c; Barbadees, 30 \$73 \$4c; Demorara, 25 \$30c; Triminal, 30 \$73 \$5c.

NAVAL STORES—Spirits Turpentine steady, quiet; no sales; quoted \$3 \$72 \$5c.; Rosina quiet for Ordinary parcels, but in demand, steady for Fale grades, Common to Good Stramed quoted \$1 \$5 \$75 \$1 40. Tar about steady; quoted \$2. City Pitch, \$1 \$55 \$74 \$10.

OCEAN FREIGHTS—Berth room in better demand, especially irom through freight shippers; all rates were lower, generally weak. Engagements—Liverpool, steam, \$8,0.0 bush, Corn, \$5q., 60 Bipart late yesterday); 1,700 boxes Bacon, \$7c., \$6t.; 2,000 do., through from Chicago, via Boston, 50c, per 190 \$5; 5,000 boxes. Cheese, \$25, \$6d.; 5,000 pkgs, Brovisions, via New-Orleans, 25s.; 5,000 basis Cotton, via New-Orleans, 12gd., a deceme; 50c bkgs, Butter. \$2s. \$6t.; 20 tons Leather, 40s.; 20,000 pkgs, Provisions, through via Boston, New-York, 12s. \$6d.; add, 400 baise Cotton, 79d.; 250 tes. Leather, 40s.; 20,000 pkgs, Provisions, through via Boston, New-York, 22s. \$6d.; add, 400 baise Cotton, 79d.; 250 tes. Leather, 40s.; 20,000 pkgs, Brovisions, 10s.; 2000 pkgs, Gao, via New-York, 22s. \$6d.; add, 400 baise Cotton, 79d.; 250 tes. Leather, 40s.; 2000 bash, 57an, 50s. London, 8ad, 72,000 bash, Grain, 5s. per qr.; 400 bbis. Flour. through, 1s. 10-2d.; steam, 18,000 bask, Flour, through, 25s.; 1,000 boxes Cheese, pilvate terms, Havre, 8ad, \$50 pkgs, Bacon, and Provisions, part through, 27s. 64. Hull, steam, 800 boxes Bacon, 37s. 64. Antwerp, 8ad, January singment, 2,5s. 50c. Leather, 47s. 6d. 22s. 9d. Glasgow, steam, 500 bbis. Flour through, 25s. Breach, 1,100 boxes Bacon, 27s. 6d. Antwerp, 8ad, January singment, 2,5s. 50c. Leather, 47s. 6d. 22s. 9d. Glasgow, steam, 500 bbis. Flour, through, 25s. Breach, 1,200 bras, 6 decement, 500 bbis. Flour, 10 fl.; 2s.; steam, 300 bbis. 10 flour, 50 flo onthally unchanged. At New-Redford, no new sales, Lin-sced, 602-64c. Menhaden, 27 o 30c. for Sound: Bieached, 88c., trade sperm, at 85c., Natural Winter, 98c. Bleached Winter, \$1.05: Crade Whale at 40c. for Northern and 88c. for Southern; Laid Oil, 48-50c. At the can for Redfined Sum-mer Yellow, December, 43c. naked; no sales. Oil, MEAL—totton seed, \$25 per ton: Linseed, \$1.50 per cwt, trade unit.

PAINTS—In moderate sale only, yet prices remain gener-